



Dental Sealants
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Community Health Center of the North Country
DENTAL SEALANT PROGRAM

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Dear Parent:

The Community Health Center of the North Country is offering a tooth decay prevention program for your child at school. The program involves the application of a dental sealant material to your child's teeth and follow-up evaluation.

Your child will be screened without X-rays to determine if he/she would benefit from the program. If it is found that sealants would help your child's teeth, his/her teeth will be cleaned, conditioned and sealants will be applied. If possible, your child will then receive follow-up sealant evaluation.

Participation in this program is voluntary, and you may withdraw your child at any time.

The **dental screening & sealants are free of charge to all children.** We are required to bill Private **Dental Insurance, Medicaid, and Managed Medicaid** if sealants are applied. No fees will be billed if the child does not have dental insurance or if the dental insurance does not cover the complete costs.

After the screening process, it will be determined whether or not your child will benefit from sealants. If so the following forms will be sent home and must be returned as soon as possible.

- Complete "Medical & Consent Form".
- Complete "Billing Information Form".

If you have any questions, contact your school nurse /teacher or the Community Health Center of the North Country at 386-8191, Ext. 2110.

Please remember this preventive service does not take the place of your child's regular dental care.